pany) has been trying vigorously to

Don't be deceived for a minue by

lars of it exists, but the people who

The earning capacity of the street

and thereby make it worth something.
That's the reason for the strenuous

and for merger of the light company

argument for merger for the power

and street car companies, accom-

panied by the assurance that the Public Utilities Commission could

quested an increase in light rates

and frankly stated that it was de-

sired as one way to increase the revenues of the railway company.

er company and street car company

Electric Company fought the Public

nail from the very inception of the

valuation of the company made by

months by taking the commission

HISTORY BREEDS SUSPICION.

who want it at the best possible

Now it is proposed that the pow-

Washington Railway and

with the power company.

have it can't sell it at any price.

the warehouses of Chatham & Son, at still there's no money with which to Metz, Alasce-Lorraine, for which firm, it is alleged, Burns was broker. It and thereby make it worth something.

& Son, according to the American's plea for higher electric light rates.

have been the actual property of the still regulate electric light rates, even

Red Cross en route to Red Cross str-tions for distribution in canteens or tions for distribution in canteens or the rallway company specifically re-

refugees returning to their homes and b merged, and YOU CAN BET YOUR

dressed to Chatham & Son, shows into court. It put every legal obthat eight carloads of sausages, stacle possible in the way of valua-

amounting to 1,478 cases. 103,990 tion, and is in court today fight-

centimes per kilo. Documents show to sustain a street car company.

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Armenia, Georgia, Azerbaijan, To Be Cast Off by Soviet as Political Startegy.

By HARRY L. ROGERS, International News Service.

Nicolai Lenin and other Soviet leaders have determined to grant inand Georgia, and will allow those States to set up any sort of republican government they may see fit, according to reports reaching here

NARROW RED FIELD.

There is also reason to believe that other considerable portions of the former Russian empire will be allowed to split off into independent states, and that the Bolshevist premier intends to withdraw with his followers into a comparatively small territory surrounding Moscow and Petrogral.

Announcement of this change in policy is contained in a speech recently delivered by the Seviet leader in Moscov, copies of which have just reached here.

Pointing out the need of Soviet Russia for buffer states similar to Latvia, Esthonia, and Lithuania along its borders, Lenin intimated that Armenia, Georgia, and Azerbaijan would be of vastly more benefit to Russia if they were "independent republics" able to carry on commerci i relations with the outside world.

He congratulated those states upon the development of a commerc' with the United States and Italy, and ing cated that with independence this commerce could be greatly increase l. had been invaluable to Soviet Russ's, he said, as go-betweens in its relations with the world, but these states were not sufficient.

HAVE VARIED INTERESTS. The interests of the three Caucasian States were different from

those of Soviet Russia, the Bolshevist leader said, and for this reason it would not be necessary for them to adopt the Soviet institutions when they became "independent republics." Naturally, however, Soviet Russia would expect to maintain friendly redoubtless benefit greatly thereby. The Caucasian States are now dependencies of Soviet Russia, having a

Soviet form of government, which is numbering from twenty to thirty thousand. There are also some 15,000 Turkish. Nationalist troops at Kars and Alexandropol, which, under the terms of the treaty signed between Sovjet Russia and Turkey in March, are retained by the Turks. Erivan Turkish Nationalist control, but Batum went to Soviet Russia.

Before the war, this territory furnished more than 20 per cent of Russia's total output of copper and a large part of its oil production, while today both these industries have fallen practically to nothing. As independent republics, these states could again attract foreign capital, their copper and petroleum industries would be developed, and in their prosperity they would form Don't be fooled by any suggestion excellent neighbors for Soviet Russia

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we are entirely covered by a letter from the Red Cross, and if there are my dutien to be paid those will be paid by the Red Cross, and you are from any anxiety or responsibility whatever concerning the duties." The American eged documents stating that sales made to Chatham & Son from 28, 1919, to the latter part of Sausages, meats and grocerie of various descriptions, amounting to 1,047,840 francs and seventy centimes, were sold and delivered in his period to James S. Burns, according to the American's papers. OF ITS STREET CAR LINES. Out of that enormous total, involving goods carried in forty-two known want that money for. They want the the French government, users of electric light to help carry NO FREIGHT PAID.

Speculators Aided in Freight partment at Paris, reported that not one sou was paid by the Red Cross or Today that watered stock is prac-Fraud and French Tax speculators in freight tariff. The fically worthless. It has no market goods were handled through the same value. Six and a half million dol-Evasion.

Red Cross ruse described in former

articles of the American. They were

acciared to be "military goods and Red Cross property" until delivered to

then became the property of Chatham

Not only did the Rea Cross defraid

the French government in issuing orders of transport the French police

charged, but the French had accord-

ed the goods the protection of con-

Such goods also had right of way over

Thus, these goods, actually belong-

ing to speculators, but traveling in the name of the Red Cross, blocked

to government mails and business.

Cross goods" to go through first.

Another purported receipt involv-

50 centimes, is now in possession of

bought from the Red Cross and re-

that the goods eventually appeared

France," it was taken for granted

follow its rule of "protecting" pur-

chasers from freight rates and spe-

New Envoy Meets Harding.

Dr. Jacob Gould Schurman, newly-

cial duties and taxes.

quired to promise that goods of that price.

evidently that the Red Cross would thing.

taken from the files of a broker.

all French railroads, day or night.

NEW YORK, July 2.- The New York American today shows how the great Red Cross engineered amazing sales of "gift" merchandise to speculators. Specific instances

AIDED PREIGHT FRAUDS. Plagrant misrepresentation of waership of goods to escape paynent on freight carried by the

The Red Cross required guaranought would "be sold outside of rance" to avoid war taxes. However when good were sold inside the French confines, THE ED SPECULATORS FROM PAY-MENT OF SPECIAL TAXES AND

The subjoined copy of an alleged letter indicates that the Red Cross guarantees that certain sold outside of the French obtained by an investigator from the files of James Stuart Burns, an Eng- a trained investigator and eye-witlishman, who conducted a brokerage ness that he has seen many important business at No. 40 Rue Lafitte, Paris. trains sidetracked to permit the "Red Utilities Commission tooth and toe-

was dated May 20, 1919, and was dated May 20, 1919, and A copy of an alleged receipt from addressed to "The American Burns, dated May 30, 1919, and ad-Cross, Hotel Regina, Paris." It

have for sale, we should be pleased pounds, were delivered to him from ing the commission's findings with to make a deal with you for the St. Nazaire to Metz. These sausages every resource at its command. We should commence first sold for 5 francs and 30 centimes per the sausages, which we are kilo, making a total for this sale of prepared to take immediately at 275,573 francs and 50 centimes. three francs eighty centimes per

arrangements are subject to our arat an accord on prices. IT IS DISTINCTLY UNDERSTOOD THAT ALL GOODS ARE TO BE OUT OF FRANCE. We will furnish the necessary proofs as to

The above purported letter, bear-

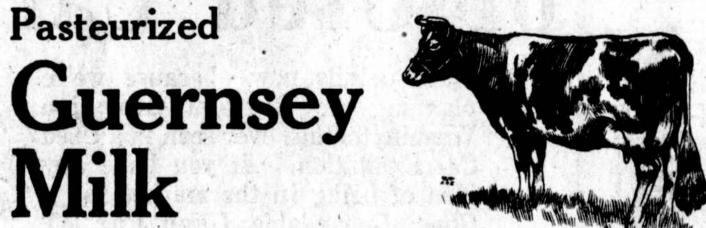
ing the signature "James Burns," had the following postscript: "Regarding the soft goods and hardware, we should like to handle this, and if agreeable to you we will take this matter in hand immediate-

TAXES EVADED.

to relieve speculators of payment of special duties or taxes is emphasized in the following aleged letter, signed, it is claimed. by Burns and addressed to Charles Welfling, Paris, It also indicates that, despite guarantees required of purchasers, much Red. Cross goods appointed minister to China, called were sold right in France. The upon President Hardinfi yesterday to which the merger here discussed

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gracefully at the waistline, while the skirt front is ornamented by shoulders of pork at 3 france, \$5 of electricity of money with which plaques of gold cord with tassels depending from them. ARLY fall openings will divide honors almost equally between the in part at least in French retail on its own feet, producing the best slender and the bouffant silhouette, with only the reservation that possible electric service to people a slender frock must be exceedingly slender and a bouffant one outrageously bouffant. Exponents of the latter seek inspiration from varying sources—Martial et Armand, for instance, reproducing the mode of Louis XVI and of 1830! Paul Peiret, favoring the tight And the street car company should stand on its own feet, doing the same basque and crinoline of Louis XIV. The Spanish influence is apparent in the model at the right with its tight bodice and bouffant skirt, should pay for the electricity which and, of course, the extending of the lace panels below the skirt edge is me. They should not be decidedly French and of the moment. Magenta taffeta makes the called upon to pay for any other service through the same treasury,

square cut at the front, but deeply pointed at the back, and blouses

especially when the money is wanted tassels to give the effect of long earrings. to help carry a load of watered stock. There are only two situations in

and the Capital Traction-should | both street car systems, which, armerge and then the power company rangement, of course, should include which the merger and then the power company purported letter is dated June 24, pay his respects. He will sail for China from San Francisco on July 30, and "We are in receiut of your letter will make an address in San Francisco on July 30, and the event that the of the 23d of June confirming your cisco before departing.

Which the merger here discussed which the merger here discussed would be justified:

One would be in the event that the betaken AFTERWARDS.

The other would be in the event that if the power company and the other would be in the event that the Government should take over Washington Railway and Electric

dress, and the lace is silver. The matching headdress arranges its

The other would be in the event that if the power company and the from a commercial point of view. Company are allowed to merge, there will be more liklihood of a merger of he two street car systems.

Exactly the contrary will be true There will be less liklihood.

larding to Get Measure While at Raritan, N. J., Spend-

irg Fourth. By FRANK A. STETSON.

International News Service. RARITAN, N. J., July 2 .- President farding, who came to Raritan to spend the Fourth of July at the home of Senator Frelinghuysen, today waited the arrival of a special messenger from Washington bearing the Knox-Porter resolution establishing peace between this country and Ger-

This resolution was adopted by the Senate yesterday afternoon, and word was received from Washington that special courier would leave the Capital for Raritan early this morn-

ing with it.
It was expected that the President would allow no delay, but would sign the resolution immediately, so that a proclamation of peace could be isued on the Fourth of July.

The President and Mrs. Harding ar-

ived from Washington shortly after o'clock last night. President Hardng was so anxious to get on the gol hks that he was driven directly to Raritan Golf Club where he placed fourteen holes with Speaker Gillett, Senator Hale and Senator Kellogg. The women members of the party in the meantime motored to Senator Frelinghuysen's home.

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